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SUBJ: WTDR/FTI: CONSOLIDATED CONTRACTING CO. (W.L.L.) SAUDI ARABIA

P.O. BOX 234, RIYADH

REF: (A) USDOC 06174; (B) STATE 83700; (C) JIDDA 3001

1. SAUDI ARABIA 2. CNTRY CODE: 517 3. CODE SER. NO.

4. CONSOLIDATED CONTRACTING CO. (W.L.L.) SAUDI ARABIA

4A. CODE: 4B. CODE: A 4C. CODE:

5. P.O. BOX 234

6. RIYADH, SAUDI ARABIA

7. ESTABL: 1965 8. EMPL: 350 9. SIZE: (19-X) LARGE

10. REPUTATION: (22-X) VERY GOOD

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11. CONSTRUCTION WORK/GENERAL CONTRACTORS

12. RPT. DATE 5/77

13. GENERAL CONTRACTING

14. CONTACT: NABEEL S. SHAWA, GENERAL MANAGER

15. CABLE: CONCO RIYADH 16. TELEX: 20096 CONCO SJ

17. PHONE: 61912, 61974

18. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: ARAB BANK LTD., P.O. BOX 26, RIYADH; NATIONAL BANK OF KUWAIT; AL-AHLI BANKN KUWAIT; NATIONAL & GRINDLEYS BANK LTD., DUBAI; BRITISH BANK OF THE MIDDLE EAST, BAHRAIN AND ABU DHABI; CITIBANK, BAHRAIN.

19. TRADE REFERENCES: N.A.

20. MAJOR FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: CCC DOES NOT REPRESENT OTHER FIRMS BUT CLAIMS "ASSOCIATION" WITH FOLLOWING U.S. FIRMS: BECHTEL, CRS, FLUOR, RALPH M. PARSONS, BROWN & ROOT, CREST ENGINEERING AND LUMUS CO.

21. THE CONSOLIDATED CONTRACTING CO. (WML.L.) SAUDI ARABIA IS ONE OF THE SISTER CONCERNS OF CC GROUP OF COMPANIES, BEIRUT. (TEMPORARILY SHIFTED TO ATHENS DURING DISTURBANCES IN LEBANON). FOUNDED BY KEMAL ABDUR RAHMAN (ORIGINALLY PALESTINIAN) LEBANESE NATIONAL, IN 1950. MR. KEMAL ABDUR RAHMAN IS CHAIRMAN OF THE GROUP. MESSRS. HASEEB S. SABBAG AND SAYEED T. KHOURI ARE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN AND MANAGING DIRECTOR RESPECTIVELY. NABEEL S. SHAWA IS GENERAL MANAGER IN SAUDI ARABIA. HRH PRINCE TALAL BIN ABDUL AZIZ IS THE MAJOR SHARE HOLDER UNCLASSIFIED

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AND SPONSOR OF THE COMPANY IN SAUDI ARABIA. CCC'S COMMERCIAL REGISTRATION NO. IS 3225.

CCC IS REPORTED TO BE VERY WELL THOUGHT OF IN THE WHOLE MIDDLE EAST AREA. IT IS A CIVIL ENGINEERING CONTRACTING COMPANY WHICH IS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN MORE THAN 14 COUNTRIES OF THE MIDDLE EAST & AFRICA.

FIRM'S PROJECTS IN SAUDI ARABIA CURRENTLY UNDER CONSTRUCTION ARE ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. SEWRS AND HOUSE-CONNECTION PROJECT IN MEDINA CLIENT: MINISTRY OF MUNICIPALITIES AND RURAL AFFAIRS. VALUE SR 80 MILLION.
- 2. STORM WATER DRAIN PROJECT IN MEDINA CLIENT: MINISTRY OF MUNICIPALITIES AND RURAL AFFAIRS.
- 3. DESALINATION PLANT AT JIDDA.
  CLIENT: SALINE WATER CONVERSION CORPORATION.

- 4. FEEDER ROAD IN QASSIM AREA: 110 KILOMETER ROAD. CLIENT: MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (ROADS)
- 5. HIGHWAY ROAD (NORTH FRONTIER) HAMAKIEH-RUKIEH: (AROUND 110 KILOMETERS)

CLIENT: MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (ROADS)

- 6. CONSTRUCTION OF JUBAIL PORT (JOINT VENTURE WITH ADRIAN VOLKER AND HOCHTIEF)
  NEW PROJECTS OR EXTENSION WORK WHICH CCC EXPECTS TO OBTAIN INCLUDE:
- 1. UNIVERSITY OF PETROLEUM & MINERALS AT DHAHRAN, PHASE TWO CIVIL ENGINEERING WORK. (FIRST PHASE OF THE CIVIL ENGINEERING WORK WAS DONE BY CCC THREE YEARS AGO).
- 2. 104 BUILDINGS (CONSTRUCTION OF TELEPHONE EXCHANGE UNCLASSIFIED

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BUILDINGS) PROJECT OF THE MINISTRY OF P.T.T. IS UNDER STUDY AT THE MOMENT. BID IS UNDER PREPARATION FOR SUBMISSION TO I.T.T. (ITT IS REPORTEDLY THE MAIN CONTRACTOR OF MINISTRY OF PTT FOR THE INSTALLATION OF 104 TELEPHONE EXCHANGE OFFICES THROUGHOUT SAUDI ARABIA). FIRM HAS OFFICES IN JIDDAN MEDINA AND QASSIM AREA; WORKING CAPITAL IS CLAIMED TO BE \$45.6 MILLION; ANNUAL SALES VOLUME CLAIMED IS \$900 MILLION. CCC CAS GOOD REPUTATION IN GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE (INCLUDING BANKING) SECTORS, AND IS FINANCIALLY SOUND. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS FIRM AS EXCELLENT CONTACT FOR U.S. CONTRACTING FIRMS.

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